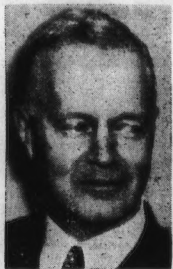


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HON. R. J. MANION, leader of the defeated National Government party. Dr. Manion was also defeated in Fort William by Dan McIvor, liberal.

Trail Rangers Win Banner At Convention

About 18 boys of the local Trail Rangers, under the leadership of W. R. Emerson, attended the convention of Foxes and Trail Rangers in Calgary yesterday.

Demonstrations of handicrafts; speakers from Lethbridge, Edmonton and Calgary, representatives of the boys' Parliament; a talk by Dr. W. Hollingsworth; discussions; and films of travel, cartoon and comedy; interspersed with games, singing and yells, made a full program for afternoon and evening. Presentation of the Banner, which was won by the Crossfield group, concluded the program.

The boys had a most interesting and enjoyable time and express their appreciation to Mr. Hunt, Mr. E. Fox and Mr. W. J. Wood for furnishing transportation.

UNITED CHURCH CHOIR PRESENTS "THE GALILEAN"

The choir of the United Church, under the leadership of Mrs. Hunt, gave of very fine rendition of the sacred Cantata, "The Galilean," on Good Friday evening. It would be difficult to choose any one part as being more outstanding than the rest, as all were splendid and were appreciated by the audience. Owing to the cold weather, there was a fair attendance.

Following the Cantata, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt entertained the choir and their friends at a very pleasant social hour at the Manse.

MARRIED KNIGHT-McKAY

On Saturday afternoon, March 18th, the wedding ceremony was performed in the United Church Manse in Aumee which united in marriage James Robert Knight of Crossfield and Violet Irene McKay of Aumee. Miss Frances Dunphy of Crossfield was bridesmaid and Harvey Crawford of Crossfield acted in the capacity of groomsmen. Only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony which was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents. After a happy social time the bride and groom were given a "rattling" good send-off for areas unannounced. They are taking up residence in the Crossfield district.

—Aumee Sentinel

C. D. S.

With the presentation of the play, "Aunt Tillie Goes to Town," little more than a week away, perhaps it would be well to say a little in regard to tickets.

Rush tickets for both evenings, the 10th and 17th of April are being sold by the High School students and the United Church Board. A choice of either evening may be had and if the purchaser wishes to reserve seats, this may be done by calling at the Bannister Electric, paying the small additional charge and selecting the seats, but remember, the earlier the better for good seats. The reserved seats will go on sale Saturday, March 30th.

Watch this paper next week for the publishing of the Cast of this riotous Comedy, but in the meantime, be sure and get your tickets, you just must share in the evening of hilarious entertainment.



HON. W. L. MACKENZIE KING, leader of the Liberal party whose government was returned to power in last Tuesday's election with 178 seats.

NATIVE SONS & DAGHUTERS HOLD SOCIAL EVENING

The novelty social and dance held by the Native Sons and Daughters on Wednesday evening was a very enjoyable affair. The lucky couple in the spot dance was Happy Heper and Mrs. A. Brown. Prizes for the elimination dances were won by C. Laut and Miss V. Mason, F. Heywood and Miss W. McTavish, L. Lennon and Miss E. Riddell, H. Heper and Miss I. Hesketh were winners of the shoe dance.

The committee appointed to arrange for the next of these social evenings, which will be held in April, will consist of E. Kinsey as chairman, with Frank Moen, Bud Shantz, Anne Cameron and Pat Waterhouse.



MANLEY J. EDWARDS, liberal candidate in West Calgary, who was elected according to present count.

The 2,000 portholes of the Queen Mary, trans-atlantic liner, contain 2,500 square feet of glass.

THANKS TO ELECTORS

To the voters who supported me in the recent provincial election, and those who worked so faithfully throughout the campaign on my behalf—I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation. It will be my earnest endeavor to serve you faithfully.

FRANK LAUT.

PRETTY WEDDING SOLEMNIZED GOOD FRIDAY

A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Metheral, of Crossfield, on Friday evening, March 22, when their daughter Gladys and Mr. Wallace Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Donaldson of Victoria, B. C., were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. J. E. Ball of Airdrie United Church. Mrs. J. Scholfield played the wedding march.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore Queen's blue and carried a bouquet of roses and lily-of-the-valley. She was attended by her sister, Mildred, dressed in rose. The groom was supported by Mr. Kurt Nason.

Little Bobby Cox and Gladys Scholfield, the bride's namesake, acted as ring bearer and flower girl respectively.

During the signing of the register Mrs. W. J. (Gladys) Buxton, of whom the bride is namesake, and Miss Genevieve Metheral sang "Because."

The bride's mother, dressed in black georgette, and Mrs. George Cox presided over a reception attended by immediate relatives. The servers were the Misses K. Mair, Lethe and Claire Metheral.

The happy couple left for a honeymoon at the Pacific coast.

Rebekah's Annual Banquet

The local Rebekahs and their families held their annual "family banquet" on Monday night, some 75 adults and kiddies being present.

The evening started off with a wonderful turkey supper, after which the Rebekahs held their lodge meeting while the non-members were entertained with various games.

Once again everyone reported having had a grand time.

An increase of 52.7 per cent in the hog population of Alberta has been announced by Hon. D. B. Mulloy, Minister of Agriculture. On December 1 last the number was 1,026,800 hogs as compared with 672,400 on the same date in 1938. Only two provinces, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, showed larger increases than Alberta.

More than 2,000 Alberta horses are expected to be sold for use in the French army according to reports. It is said more than 5,000 horses would be purchased in Western Canada by the federal department of trade and commerce, acting for the French government. The horses would be mainly the light draught type weighing from 1,250 to 1,350 pounds.

The Czechoslovakian Bata shoe company was not given government assistance, according to Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of trade and commerce. He said both he and Mr. Lapointe believed Canada had enough shoe factories but explained "if a man with capital wanted to risk his money in Canada there is no way we can stop him." The Bata company has established a plant near Belleville.



J. S. WOODSWORTH, C. C. F. leader who was re-elected in North Winnipeg by a small margin. Soldiers' vote may change the count to defeat.

LOCALS

Miss Maude Lennon of Calgary was a week-end visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Jones were visitors in Red Deer for a few days last week.

Miss Sackett, of the Rosebud Beauty Parlor, was a visitor at High River over the Easter week-end.

Miss Brown and Mrs. Emery were back in town on Tuesday, making a break in their holidays in order to register their vote.

Mrs. Edlund met with a painful accident at the Rebekah banquet Monday evening, when she sprained her ankle.

Mrs. P. C. McCrae is renewing acquaintances in town and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. T. Amery.

Miss June Patmore and Miss Elaine Belshaw were visitors to the city Tuesday, taking in the picture "Pinocchio."

A number of local high school students attended the dance given by the Bowden high school last night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McFadyen, Hugh McIntyre and Miss Margaret McIntyre left today for the Pacific coast where they will visit for the next month.

Remember the Board of Trade Dance Friday evening March 29th. Come on out and have a good time—your Board of Trade is the line to better things in your community. Bring a friend.

The special Easter service at the United Church was enjoyed by a large congregation. Three numbers from the Cantata, "The Galilean," were given by the choir, followed by Miss Theresa Siegal in an impressive rendition of "The Wife of Pontius Pilate."

Five tables of fun and bridge were enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lilley on Wednesday evening. The guest of honor was Mrs. P. C. McCrae of New Westminster.

Mrs. Carmichael and Alt, Edlund captured the two first prizes, whilst consolations were handed to Mrs. McCrae and Percy Fleming.

Mrs. McCrae is enjoying an Easter holiday with her mother, Mrs. Halliday; her sister, Mrs. Rowland Amery; her brother Howard Halliday of Didsbury and her many friends of the prairies, all of whom are overjoyed at seeing "Alpha" their old favorite, once more.

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Thursday March 28th 1940

The provincial election results are far from complete at this date. In all probability Premier Aberhart will have a working majority, with about twenty on the opposition benches. It will be the latter part of next week perhaps before all the returns are completed.

The people of Canada have made it clear by their vote last Tuesday that they want no interference with Canada's conduct of the war, and the National programme to carry out the business of the country.

The splendid majority given the Liberal party perhaps will eclipse all former records, reducing all political opposition to very small groups, with the Nationals with 38 seats.

Under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, the only method of entry to the Special Reserve of the Royal Canadian Air Force for Flying Training will be through enlistment. No further applications for commissions in this category will be accepted. For airman pilot the applicant must be between 18 and 26 years of age; for air observer and air gunner, between 18 and 32 years of age. Education requirements are Junior Matriculation or its equivalent. Applications for appointment to the general list will still be received from experienced pilots, presumably with at least 200 hours of flying experience to their credit.

Net operating revenue of the C. N. R. increased \$14,788,007 in 1939 according to the annual report of S. J. Hungerford, president of the system. After payment of certain fixed charges, however, this left a deficit for the year of \$40,095,519 which was some \$14,000,000 less than the 1938 deficit.

Trans Canada Air Lines on the other hand resulted in a net operating loss for 1939 of \$2,626,915 while the mails yielded a revenue of \$1,632,873. These were insufficient to meet operating expense of slightly over \$2,500,000.

JUST A WORD

Tell me something that will be
Joy through all the years to me.
Let my heart forever hold
One divinest grain of gold.
Just a simple little word
Yet the dearest ever heard;
Something that will bring me rest
When the world seems all distressed

As a candle in the night
Sends abroad its cheerful light,
So a little word may be
Like a lighthouse in the sea.
When the winds and waves of life
Fill the breast with storm and strife
Just one star my boat may guide
To the harbor, glorified.

High School Report

January, February and March

H — 100 to 85
A — 84 to 70
B — 69 to 60
C — Unsatisfactory

Cultural Subjects Science and Mathematics

GRADE X —		
Fleming, Nora	A	B
Havens, Hazle	B	C
Hopper, Lester	B	B
Huston, Marjorie	B	B
Marshall, Arthur	B	C
May, Eileen	—	—
Michel, Dorothy	A	B
Patmore, June	A	—
Rach, Melvin	C	B
Walker, Cecil	C	C
Waterhouse, Josephine	A	C

GRADE XI —		
Amery, Bill	A	A
Arnott, Eileen	A	B
Behaw, Elaine	B	B
Bills, Paul	A	B
Blair, Robert	C	B
Carmichael, Jean	A	B
Fleming, George	A	B
Hall, Warren	B	B
Harrison, Jim	B	A
Havens, Evelyn	H	—
Huston, Marion	B	B
Jack, Irene	A	B
McMillan, Clarke	A	A
Mason, Leon	A	B
Metheral, Claire	B	B
Metheral, Lethe	B	C
O'Neill, Gordon	B	B
Robinson, Marion	—	—
Sefton, Irene	A	B
Tredaway, Edna	A	A
Waterhouse, Connie	A	B
Wickerson, Hugh	C	B

GRADE XII —		
Amery, Arlene	A	B
Brandon, Lila	—	—
Carmichael, Adeline	H	H
Clayton, Douglas	C	A
Fleming, Jack	A	B
Gilchrist, Jean	A	B
Hesketh, Dorothy	A	B
Hopper, Earle	C	B
Hunt, Gwendolyn	H	—
Kinsey, Viola	B	C
Laut, Ross	B	A
Marshall, Almour	A	A

PENSION BOARD APPROVED

Federal approval has been given by order-in-council for Alberta's new Board to administer old age pensions, which were formerly administered by the Workman's Com-

pensation Board. The new Board will come into effect April 1st and is composed of J. F. Perotval, deputy provincial treasurer, as chairman; T. B. Blaine, superintendent of Child Welfare; and Alex Blackie, superintendent for old age pensions

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Editor Crossfield Chronicle. Crossfield.

Sir: May I through the columns of your paper extend thanks to those who gave their time and support to the Social Credit cause during the provincial election

I would also like to extend congratulations to the winner Mr. F. Laut.

The campaign in this constituency was as clean as a n y political campaign could possibly be. The only unfortunate thing about it being that two gentlemen were called upon to oppose each other.

George Butler, Secretary-Treasurer, Banff-Cochrane S. C. Ass'n

BASEBALL DANCE

U. F. A. HALL

Friday, April 5

— Music by —

Harry Purdy's Orchestra Ladies- 25c Gents- 50c

Some "Howlers"

Water is a light-colored wet liquid that turns dark when you wash it.

In olden days the parents arranged the marriage and the bride never saw the groom until the wedding night.

Insulators are people who insult other people.

A virgin forest is one where the hand of man has never set foot.

A woman's brain weighs almost as much as a human brain.

The Mediterranean and the Red Sea are joined together by the Sewage Canal

A sirlon was the only article of clothing worn by Gandhi, the leader of India.

Atom is a place where things are blown to.

He was arrested and held in custody until his trial.

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NEW FARM PROGRAMME

An increased income for Canadian farmers is imperative if agriculture is to give its maximum aid to Canada's war effort. This was emphasized by President H. H. Hannam in presenting the 10-point program of the Canadian Chamber of Agriculture. Fair relationship between products farmers buy and sell, representation by farmers on all marketing boards, protection against over production, permanent debt adjustment facilities, maximum rate of 5 percent of all farm mortgages, and a reduction in the cost of machines were urged by the program.

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APRIL 6 to 12

Except where no train service April 6, tickets will be sold April 5.

RETURN LIMIT APRIL 15, 1940

CANADIAN PACIFIC

A spinster is a bachelor's wife.
The Royal Mint is what the King puts on his roast lamb.

Jimmy's father took him to Sunday school for the first time and on the way home, in order to find out if the youngster had learned anything, he asked: "Jimmy, who killed Goliath?"
"I dunno," said Jimmy. "I was sittin' on the back seat and couldn't see."

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Household Hints

Never use a damp or wet cloth or holder in removing a hot dish from the oven or stove. A dry one prevents the heat from penetrating and scorching the fingers.

To get the most out of your toothpaste, attach to the bottom of the tube, a key from a sardine tin. The tube can then be tightly wound up as required and none of the toothpaste wasted.

Spread jam or jelly between two layers of sponge cake and put them together. Sprinkle confectioners sugar over the top.

Add onions, boiled ham and green peppers, all chopped, to scrambled eggs. Served with toast, this makes a delightful jiffy meal.

When you buy de-hydrated foods you do not pay money for "watered stock", but for pure nutriment. It is economy to buy dried beans and peas, dried prunes, apricots, raisins, peaches, nuts, nutbutter, dried beef, cheese, salt fish, cocoa, and other foods in their concentrated form, without benefit of liquids. Add the water yourself when you cook them. If you think they lack flavor, remember your onions, seasonings and spices.

Sausage Cobbler

- 2 cups stiff, tart applesauce
- 2 cups diced cooked sweet potatoes
- 10 sliced cooked pork sausage
- 3-4 cup flour
- 1 3/4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1-2 teaspoon salt
- 1-2 cup milk
- 2 tablespoons sausage drippings

WOMEN'S GUILD

TEA and SALE of HOME COOKING

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— In the old Brick Garage —
All are invited

6 uncooked sausage links
Combine applesauce, sweet potatoes and cooked sausage and turn into casserole brushed with sausage drippings. Cover with drop biscuit dough made with flour, baking powder, salt, milk and sausage drippings. Decorate top with uncooked sausage links and slices of red-skinned apple. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F) until well browned about 30 minutes. Serves 4 to 6.
This dish, plus a simple salad, and a light dessert if you wish it provides a complete meal. The necessity of preparing other vegetable dishes is eliminated.

Gem Mysteries

Stuff dates, steamed dried figs, or prunes with canned Hawaiian pineapple cubes. Dry thoroughly with absorbent paper. Wrap in strips of thin rich pastry—plain or cheese—out just large enough to cover fruit. Pinch edges together. Bake in a hot oven 10 to 15 minutes. For less sweet mysteries omit dried fruit, dip pineapple cubes in powdered sugar, wrap in cheese pastry and bake. Serve hot or cold.

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Room 2

GRADE VI
Berwyn Patmore.....H
Gerald Butler.....H
Betty Huston.....H
Gordon Wood.....A
Lambert Taks.....B
GRADE V
Ruby Lee.....H
Gordon Fox.....H
Murray Hurt.....H
Mary Karen Edlund.....H
Eunice Harrison.....A
Robert McCaskill.....A
Maxine Reeves.....A
Fern Patmore.....A
Doris Patmore.....A
Barbara High.....A
Lorraine Nichol.....A
Karl Neilsen.....B
Ralph Lind.....B
David Gilson.....B
Winnifred Carmichael.....C

GRADE IV

Isobel Hopper.....H
Lorne Patmore.....H
Alice Huston.....A
Doreen Bils.....A
Patsy Stevens.....A
Raymond Patmore.....A
Harold High.....A
Mervin Lind.....A
Number of pupils 38
Teacher, M. J. Brown

Room 3

GRADE IX

Honor's Class 80's
Marjory Gordon.....H
A - Class 70's
Vida McMillan.....A
Alice Stevens.....A
Gladys Gilchrist.....A
Dorothy Brown.....A
Allan Sharp.....A
A - Class 70's
Mervin Fox.....A
Wilma Thompson.....A
B Class 50's
Margaret Smart.....B
Charles Russell.....B

GRADE VIII

Keith Bannister.....H
Mervin Patmore.....H
Douglas Hoover.....H
Alicie Hall.....A
Maxine Mair.....A
Dennis Casey.....A
Cameron Carmichael.....A
Vivian Lind.....A
Lloyd Johnson.....A
Ernest Butler.....A
Gordon Reeves (absent for tests)
GRADE VII
Donald Ryan.....H
Donald Stevens.....H
Helen Hurt.....H
Laurence McCool.....H
Lois Gordon.....A
Lauretta Fike.....A
Norman Patmore.....A
Percy Blough.....A
Ross Bils.....A
Reggie Belshaw.....A
Niele Nielson.....A
Kenneth Belshaw.....B
Alice Gilson.....B

GRADE VII

Number of pupils 34
Teacher, Mrs. A. Emery

"The pig is a most useful animal," said the teacher. "We use its head for brawn, its legs for ham, its bristles for brushes. What else do we use from the pig?"
"Please, teacher," said a little fellow, "we use its name when we want to be rude."

NEW PLATES CALL

FOR SAFE DRIVING

New license plates being issued by the provincial secretary's department of this province, carry a message in the interests of greater highway safety.

At the bottom of the plate, in raised letters, are the words "Drive Safely." These should constitute a strong appeal to all motorists to use every care when driving. When a car is approaching another, this message to drive with care should be realized by the drivers of both machines.

On March 18, new car licenses for 1940 were issued by various government agencies in the province, and by branches of the Alberta Motor Association. For some years the A.M.A. branches have performed this welcome service and as a result, thousands of drivers obtain their plates from these offices each year.

While official figures on the number of car licenses sold in the 1939-40 fiscal year, which ends on March 31, will not be available immediately, it is believed that they will show a record for the province. Car licenses are expected to be well above the 100,000 mark.

For the second year in succession Alberta leads the other provinces of Canada in the production of shorn wool, according to a report of the provincial agricultural department. During the last year 479,200 Alberta sheep yielded 1,025,000 lbs of wool or 8.4 lbs. per fleece. The Alberta total represents more than 25 per cent. of all wool produced in Canada. Provincial sheep production for 1939 is put at 834,000.

TRANSPORTATION

Train Schedule

SOUTH

Every day except Sunday
522..... 5:21 a.m.
524..... 12:21 p.m.
526..... 5:35 p.m.
Sunday
522..... 5:21 a.m.
528..... 2:10 p.m.

NORTH

521..... 12:42 a.m.
523..... 10:47 a.m.
525..... 5:53 p.m.

SUNDAY

521..... 12:42 a.m.
527..... 6:01 p.m.

Bus Schedule

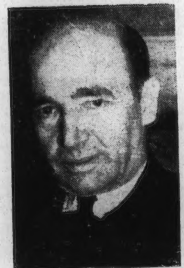
NORTH
7:51 a.m. 2:21 p.m. 6:21 p.m.
SOUTH
5:07 a.m. 12:13 p.m. 8:13 p.m.

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DEFEATED



Hon. W. D. Hettridge, founder of the New Democracy movement, and former Canadian minister to Washington, in Kindsley, Sask.

The Chronicle invites the co-operation of residents of the surrounding districts. Correspondents from Airdrie, Mudden, Dog Pound, Iverville, Tan-y-Bryn, and other districts around Crossfield are asked to send in news items of interest and to write in for correspondence paper, envelopes and particulars.

The belief that the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan will boost the number of settlers coming to Canada from Great Britain after the war is expressed by Royal Air Force officers in Ottawa. These officers have been shown much kindness by Canadians and so will pupils coming here from Great Britain. Having experienced something of Canadian home life, it is thought probable that many of these men will consider settling in Canada after the war.

Ernie's Dress-up Club

The following is the order in which the members have been drawn to date. Started Jan. 22.

1st week—	T. McDougall
2nd "	J. Larson
3rd "	Mrs. F. H. Fleming
4th "	H. A. Bannister
5th "	N. Tweedle
6th "	F. Heywood
7th "	A. Stavrus
8th "	R. J. Cann
9th "	L. Johnson
10th "	George Lim

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The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

In 1939 the "Crop Testing Plan" grew in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, in co-operation with the Dominion Experimental Farms, a large number of small plots of different varieties of wheat. Each plot was sown with exactly the same amount of carefully measured seed so that accurate yield tests could be determined. The averages of plot yields, in bushels to the acre, in Alberta, where there was no rust damage, were as follows: Garnet 58; Red Boba 54; Marquis 48; Thatcher 48; Renown 41; Reward 39.

In Saskatchewan, where black stem rust and a little leaf rust occurred, the yields were: Thatcher 42; Renown 38; Regent 38; Apex 38; Marquis 23.

In Manitoba, where much black stem rust and much leaf rust occurred, the yields were: Renown 41; Regent 41; Apex 39; Thatcher 35; Marquis 19.

The Dominion Experimental Farm officials state that the yield and quality data, obtained from these plots, support the results that have been previously obtained in their own Experimental Farm Station tests.

An interesting test with these plots was made at the same time, of determining how much the usual growth of weeds robs the farmer of yield per acre. The results of this will be shown in a future "World of Wheat" article.

Following factors have tended to raise price: America shipped a substantial quantity of flour to China recently—Hungarian winter crop prospects estimated at 35 million bushels less than last year—Danube River is flooding large farming areas in Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Roumania—Roumania reported to have suspended overseas wheat exports.

Following factors have tended to lower price: The bean and rice crop in Chile probably will be the largest on record—Areas sown to

wheat and barley in Egypt for 1940 are somewhat larger than in 1939—British commercial and household growers are being urged to expand vegetable acreage—Ploughing for spring crops is making active progress in Western Europe.



M. E. MANNING, Conservative candidate in Bow River Constituency who had third place in the final count, and polled the most votes in Crossfield.

A well known columnist wonders why bachelors remain unmarried. "Sh! Sh! lady," says Sid in alarm, "the secret is too valuable to give away in leap year."

The householder called at a plumber's and asked, "Are you the man who came to my house today to mend a leak in the pipes?"

"Yes, sir," was the reply.

"Didn't you tell my wife that you knew your work and never made mistakes?"

"Yes, sir, I may have done."

"How is it, then, that the chandelier in my dining room is spraying like a fountain, and the bathroom tap is on fire?"

An Irish bricklayer was on the top of the partly-built house, and shouted to the foreman that he could not find his way to the ground.

"You fool—come down the way you went up," shouted the foreman.

"Not on yer life. I came up head first," the Irishman yelled back.

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How The Vote Went In Banff-Cochrane Provincial Election Returns In This Constituency

Polling Place	Laut.	King
1 Meadow Side	51	23
2 Tan-y-Bryn	72	14
3 Greenwood	44	28
4 Banner school	42	80
5 West Hope	48	57
6 Sam May	71	45
7 Water Valley	52	82
8 D'Artigne	23	18
9 Westbrook	42	43
10 Summit Hill	60	24
11 Walter Havens	63	34
12 Fire Hall	251	97
13 East Com'y	53	13
14 Glen Rock	41	18
15 Aldrie	175	72
16 M. School	34	34
17 Weedon	41	23
18 Elks Hall	271	115
19 Morley	27	20
20 Glendale S.	71	29
21 Westminster S.	49	41
22 Beddington	68	33
23 Balzac	127	82
24 Orange Hall	114	33
25 Brushy R.S.	27	25
26 Jumping P.	53	23
27 Bragg Creek	14	17
28 Seebe	52	9
29 Exshaw	59	67
30 Canmore	199	286
31 Banff	629	343
32 Lake Louise	17	0
Soldiers Vote	8	15
Totals	2928	1864

Automobile trailers are still popular; there being 1,085,000 registered in the United States.

An order-in-council has been passed by the Alberta government authorizing the establishment of a provincial park, comprising 154 acres, southwest of Pincher Creek.



A. J. E. LIESEMER, C. O. P. candidate for Bow River, who lost his deposit.

Church Announcements

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. Stanley R. Hunt, B.A., B.D., Minister

11:00 a. m.—Sunday School

7:30 p. m.—Worship

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

(Anglican)

Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector

March 31, 7:30 p. m. Evensong.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

J. W. A. meets every Monday after school, at the Rectory.

A. Y. P. A. meets First and Third Thursdays at 8 p. m.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Pickford, B.Th., Pastor

Morning Service, 11:00 a. m.

Sunday School, 12 noon

Evensing Service, 7:30 o'clock

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COMING EVENTS

There will be a Hard Time Dance at Sunshine School, Friday night, April 5th. Everybody welcome. 17-3 p

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church will hold their regular meeting in the church parlor next Wednesday afternoon, April 3, at 3 o'clock.

72 DEATHS FROM ALBERTA ACCIDENTS

Starting figures on the number of motor vehicle deaths in this province last year were given in the annual report of the provincial secretary's department, issued recently.

Despite the safety measures advocated during the year by branches of the Alberta Motor Association and by other organizations, no less than 72 motor deaths occurred in the province in 1939.

While reductions to around 55 had been reported in 1938 and 1937, the total for 1939 was back to the 1936 level. The report also revealed that of the total number of deaths, some 24 involved those operating motor trucks.

In addition to the fatal accidents hundreds of people were injured in traffic accidents in this province during the year.

Official figures on the number of traffic deaths have been given fresh impetus to safety campaigns in Edmonton, Calgary and other parts of the province.

Various organizations, who are assured of full A.M.A. co-operation are determined to do everything possible to substantially reduce the accident toll for 1940.

Prospects of heavier motor travel to the province this year make the call for greater safety measures all the more insistent.

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VILLAGE
COUNCIL MEETINGS
The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.
By Order of the Village Council
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

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Drought area problems in Alberta can be solved, in the opinion of Prof. Andrew Stewart of the University's agricultural economics department. Speaking before the Edmonton Rotary Club he declared that a grass restoration would take 15 to 20 years, but the production of high quality wheat could be maintained in many dry sections. Great tribute was paid to the residents of the dry areas. "Their lives should be written into the history of Western Canada," he said.

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